







**DUCHESS NEWS**

**DUCHESS**, May 2—A fire on Thursday destroyed the Wellman school house and teacherage. All contents were lost.

The United Church is being planted with trees, shrubbery, and hedge which greatly improve the appearance of the church and walk have also been repaired.

Mr. P. F. Ward is very ill at the time of writing.

Mrs. Root returned from Medicine Hat Wednesday where she was visiting relatives.

The "Oldies" Ad meets with Mrs. Dowling this week.

Mrs. McRoberts attended the service in Brooks Sunday night. Plane services were held.

**POLICE COURT**

Plans of \$20 and costs were imposed on Leslie Tregea and Rudolph Guttmann, both of Gleichen, when they appeared before Justice J. W. Thompson at 8:30 A.M. on Saturday last Saturday morning. Both pleaded guilty in infliction of the Liquor Act trial.

**Extra Special**

Original Chipewyan shoes, super quality Work Shoes for men, in quality Work Shoes for women, black or white, leather or cloth; lace-up, and nailed soles; plain toe, soft and comfortable, with special wearing qualities; extra special.

Price \$2.95

**Men's Caps**

White and fawn summer caps. Cool and comfortable.

Price 25¢

**Men's Trousers**

Grey flannel trousers well tailored for street or sport wear.

\$3.25 a pair

**Boys' Caps**

Baseball player style, black felt.

Price 25¢

**Watson's Gloves**

Watson's desirable Gloves in Mousieblue and Kangaroo from \$1.00 up

**Ladies' White Shoes**

Newest models in white kid Pumps and Slips.

Price from \$2.95

**Heel Grips**

Ladies' Colonial Heel Grips save the stocking heel.

25¢ a pair

**GROCERIES****Fruit Special**

1 can red raspberries, heavy syrup. I can loganberries, 1 can peaches, I can red plums, all for 69¢.

**GOLDEN WAX OR STRING BEANS**

2 lbs. 55¢

**PICKLES**, Bread and Butter, Best Peas, 1 pt. 55¢**CATSUP**, Heinz Tomato

25¢ per bottle

**COFFEE**, Star Special

4 lbs. \$1.00

**TEA**, Special Broken Orange Pekoe, per lb. 55¢**CHEESE THINS** the tasty biscuit, per pkg. 15¢**WILLARD CHOCOLATES**, assorted, extra special per pound 25¢**HONEY GRAHAMS** special, per pkg. 20¢**TUNA FISH**, Delicious for Salads per tin 20¢**SODA BISCUITS**, \$1 wood box 39¢**MATCHES**, Eddy's Owl, per pkg. 25¢**FRUIT AND VEGETABLES**

ORANGES, large, sweet, and juicy, seedless 3 dozen for \$1.00

**BANANAS** 2 lbs. for 25¢

Grapes, Grapefruit, Tangerines, Rhubarb, Fine Eating Apples, Ripe Tomatoes, Celery, Lettuce, Green Onions.

**JAMES  
JOHNSTON**  
"The Quality Store"

**Advice on Couch Grass Eradication Now Available**

**NORTHWEST GRAIN DEALERS FINANCIAL SERVICE STUDY FOR CONTROL OF COUCH GRASS**

Scientific methods of control and eradication of Couch Grass, a weed which is spreading over Western Canada, is the subject of a pamphlet by Dr. G. H. Meloche, Professor of Agronomy and Mr. W. T. Dickey, B. Sc., of the Agricultural College of Manitoba, University, on behalf of the Northwest Grain Growers Association. This short pamphlet is operating throughout the prairie provinces having financed itself through the sale of 10,000 copies which has been under way for the past three years. The results of these investigations are clearly set forth in pamphlet form. The pamphlets are being distributed free at all line country elevators.

Couch grass was introduced in western Canada through small amounts of grain imported from Europe. It spread from friends in Europe during the latter part of the last century and has now become a serious pest established in seed imports into Canada. The chief method of control is to obtain a crop which is received heavily by the soil.

The pamphlet dealing with couch grass gives a brief history of its introduction and evaluation of this weed in a manner that the ordinary layman can understand. It is recommended that farmers should obtain a copy and study it.

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A. McKee has been doing some alterations in his ladies' wear store this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayford plan to move to the Royal Bank house now occupied by W. J. Redmond.

George Love is working this spring on his new home in the Lakeside.

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